

Title: Regarding statement made by the Prime Minister on controversy between former Law Minister and Attorney General.

MR. SPEAKER: The House will now take up the Zero Hour. Shri Kirit Somaiya.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA (GUNA): Mr. Speaker, Sir, we have given a notice on the matter relating to the handling of the whole sensitive issue regarding the Attorney-General, the former Law Minister, and the relation between the Executive and the Judiciary. This is a notice under Rule 184. We would like you to kindly accept that notice so that it can be discussed under Rule 184 in this House. We would like to have your response to this. ...*(Interruptions)* A number of our colleagues have given this notice. ...*(Interruptions)*

MR. SPEAKER: We will decide it later.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI (RAIGANJ): Sir, you hear us first and then you decide. ...*(Interruptions)*

MR. SPEAKER: Yesterday the Government has also agreed to discuss the matter. We will decide the form in which we will discuss it.

...(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: We will decide it today.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA : Sir, this notice under Rule 184 has been given in the morning today. By now, Sir, you might have come to a decision. ...*(Interruptions)*

MR. SPEAKER: Now, the House will be taking up the Zero Hour. We will decide it later.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA : Sir, this is not a new matter. ...*(Interruptions)*

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI : Sir, this matter was taken up yesterday by Shri Madhavrao Scindia. ...*(Interruptions)*

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Scindiaji, yesterday also we had a meeting of the Business Advisory Committee.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA : Sir, this matter is going on for two or three days. ...*(Interruptions)* By now, you may please come up with your response to this. ...*(Interruptions)* Sir, are you admitting our notices or not? ...*(Interruptions)*

MR. SPEAKER: The Government also has no objection in discussing this matter. We will decide later in what form we will discuss it.

...*(Interruptions)*

SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA : You want to discuss it under what rule?...*(Interruptions)*

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI : Mr. Speaker, Sir, the Parliamentary Affairs Minister has stated yesterday...*(Interruptions)*

MR. SPEAKER: We will discuss.

...(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: No, we will discuss it later on.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI PRIYA RANJAN DASMUNSI : We should discuss it today. You have to give your ruling....(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Yesterday also, you raised the matter. The Government also responded. The Government has also no objection to discuss the matter. We will discuss later under what form it has to be taken up.

...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: We will finalise it, please.

...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Madhavrao Scindia, we will finalise the matter later. Please understand this.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR (MAYILADUTURAI): We want to discuss it today....(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Hon. Members, I have received notices of motion under rule 184 from Sarvashri Rupchand Pal, Hannan Mollah, Basudeb Acharia, M.O.H. Farooq, P.R. Dasmunsi, Mani Shankar Aiyar and P.H.Pandian regarding the statement made by the Prime Minister in the House in respect of certain remarks made by the former Law Minister.

As per provision of rule 190, notices received under Rule 184, after admission are published in Bulletin Part II as No-Day-Yet-Named Motions and are placed before the Business Advisory Committee for allotment of time for discussion.

The notices are presently under my consideration.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI BASU DEB ACHARIA : You please call a meeting of the Business Advisory Committee early. ...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR (MAYILADUTURAI): Please call a meeting of the Business Advisory Committee. ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Mani Shankar Aiyar, even if I admit the notices, the Business Advisory Committee has to decide about the time.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR : Sir, we just want the assurance that you will call the meeting of the Business Advisory Committee immediately because this is a matter of urgent public importance. The hon. Prime Minister has made a statement. This is a matter relating to relations between the Executive and the Judiciary. ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Now, Matters under Rule 377. Dr. Sanjay Paswan to speak now.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI BASU DEB ACHARIA : Sir, I have given a notice. ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Basu Deb Acharia, while raising the matter in the House you should also follow what the procedure is.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR : Sir, I am just asking you to please tell us that you will call a meeting of the Business Advisory Committee. ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: How can the Chair give a ready-made answer as to when the Business Advisory Committee is going to meet?

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR : My request to you is that in view of the urgency of this matter, if this is the procedure, then please call the meeting urgently. ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: They are under my consideration.

Now, we will take up Matters under Rule 377. Dr. Sanjay Paswan.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI BASU DEB ACHARIA : Sir, I have also given a notice. ...(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: Let me examine. Now, Matters under Rule 377. Dr. Sanjay Paswan.